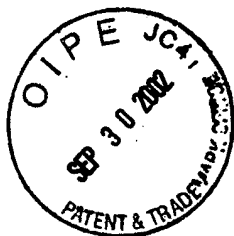


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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated April 24, 2002, Applicant hereby requests entry of the following election. A Four-Month Extension of Time to and including September 24, 2002 is hereby requested. A check in the amount of \$720.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed.

ELECTION

Applicant elects the following species from the groups identified by the Examiner:

- A) Tumor cell ^{II} *specific monoclonal cell*
- B) CD4 *II antigen*
- C) B72 *immunoregulator*
- D) UCP expression vector *specific immunoregulator*

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